R104789
EPSTEIN
MANDEL MAX

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ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE

WAR SERVICE GRATUITY
PARTICULARS OF SERVICE

NUMBER	FINAL PAID RANK	GROUP	CHRISTIAN NAMES	SURNAME
R 104 789	T/WO 2	S.G. W/AG	MARDEL (MAX)	EPSTEIN

Reason for termination of service: DPES. DEAD - 8/11/43

S 145

TOTAL SERVICE:

T.O.S.: 16/5/41 S.O.S.: 8/11/43 908 days

T.O.S.: _____ S.O.S.: _____ _____ days 908

TOTAL days

LESS NON-QUALIFYING SERVICE:

From: _____ To: _____ _____ days

From: _____ To: _____ _____ days

From: _____ To: _____ _____ days NIL

TOTAL QUALIFYING SERVICE 908 days

OVERSEAS SERVICE

From: 24/4/42 To: 8/11/43 567 days

From: _____ To: _____ _____ days

From: _____ To: _____ _____ days

567 days

LESS NON-QUALIFYING SERVICE

From: _____ To: _____ _____ days

From: _____ To: _____ _____ days

From: _____ To: _____ _____ days

NIL days

567

QUALIFYING OVERSEAS SERVICE days

no A.28 on file

Computers Initials	LBG
Checkers Initials	Jwl
Date	3/6/44

DOS

(T.K. McDougall)
Group Captain
R.C.A.F. Records Officer

OFFICIAL ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE CASUALTY NOTIFICATION

NUMBER R.104789 RANK W.O.1 (PAID) WITH EFF 16-SEPT-43. UNIT 116 BR SQDN. BOTWOOD, NFLD.

TRADE W.O.A.G. (SP GR)

NAME EPSTEIN, MANDEL (MAX)

R.C.A.F.	R.A.F.	R.A.A.F.	R.N.Z.A.F.	OTHER

MARITAL STATUS RELIGION CANADIAN

FRENCH CANADIAN 10 40-E-220 FD169 OTHER

NEXT OF KIN AS SHOWN ON REC. OF SERV. & RELATIONSHIP

ADDRESS MRS. MANDEL EPSTEIN (WIFE)
849 DOLLARD AVENUE,

NAME ADDRESS D.A.B. MONTREAL, QUEBEC.

NEXT OF KIN AS SHOWN ON CAS. SIG. & RELATIONSHIP

ADDRESS

AMENDED EXTRACT RE RANK

FATHER'S NAME

ADDRESS LIVING ON ENLISTMENT

MOTHER'S NAME LIVING ON ENLISTMENT

ADDRESS

ESTATES BRANCH NOV 29 1944 H.Q. OTTAWA NATIONAL DEFENCE

WAS MEMBER ATTACHED TO R.A.F. AT ANY TIME? YES/NO

IF CASUALTY OCCURRED IN CANADA DID MEMBER HAVE SERVICE OUTSIDE CANADA DURING WAR WITH THE GERMAN REICH? YES/NO

IF ON LEAVE, STATE DATE LEAVE COMMENCED AND WHETHER ON LEAVE WITH OR WITHOUT PAY?

CASUALTY DETAILS:

AUTHORITY CAS. SIG. NO.

K.R. AIR PARA 710 (3) d- NOT SHOWN.

PREVIOUSLY REPORTED "MISSING BELIEVED KILLED" 8-NOV-43 AS A RESULT OF A FLYING ACCIDENT (ON BAY ABOUT 400 YARDS SOUTH EAST OF BOTWOOD) (TRANSPORTATION FLIGHT)

NOW "PRESUMED DEAD" 8-NOV-43 FOR OFFICIAL PURPOSES.

NOK in

LAST WILL ATTACHED TO NOTIFICATION TO A. OF E.? YES/NO

M.F.M. 5 ATTACHED TO NOTIFICATION TO A. OF E.? YES/NO

DATE 23-NOV-44.

CERTIFICATE P. OF D. ATTACHED TO A. OF E. COPY YES/NO

FOR CHIEF OF THE AIR STAFF

ΔTS-RT 2 ADMINISTRATOR OF ESTATES, OTTAWA 18627

NAME EPSTEIN, Mandel FILE NO. 1040-E- 220

RANK W/O 2nd Class W.O.A.G. CATEGORY PRE. DEAD REG. NO. R104789

DATE OF DEATH: 8 Nov. /43 MOTHER LIVING: YES WIFE: YES

MINISTERIAL CARD: 23-11-43 ROYAL MESSAGE: MEMORIAL CROSS TO CHAPLAIN: SEP 21 1944

To wife SEP 25 1944 DEL'D TO MOTHER:

To Wife-5-7-44 DEL'D TO WIFE:

67311

Mrs. Mandel Epstein,
849 Dollard Avenue,
Montreal, Quebec.

Mother
Mrs. Morris Baron Epstein,
5725 Hutchison St., Apt., 6,
Montreal, Quebec

COMMAND:

RELIGION: Hebrew

MB

R.C.A.F. G.64
5M—10-42 (2840)
H.Q. 885-G-64

Royal Canadian Air Force

CERTIFICATE OF PRESUMPTION OF DEATH

NO. 7795

This is to Certify that

R104789	W.O.2	EPSTEIN, MANDEL	R.C.A.F.
(Number)	(Rank)	(Name in Full)	(Unit)

has been officially reported as missing since the 8TH day

of NOVEMBER 1943, and that, full inquiries having been made, no information has been received which would indicate that he may be still alive. For official purposes, therefore, he is presumed to have died on or since the above mentioned date.

Dated at Ottawa, Canada, this 10TH day of MAY 1944

(T.K. McDougall)
Group Captain,
R.C.A.F. Records Officer.

R.C.A.F. FORM A.28
150M—10-41 (1009)
H.Q. 885-A-28

RECORD OF PAY

CLAIM FOR OUTFIT ALLOWANCE FORWARDED TO ..... ON .....

APPOINTED OR ENLISTED AT Montreal Que ON 16.5.41

MARRIED OR SINGLE ~~Single~~ Married

No. R104789 NAME IN FULL EPSTEIN

RATE OF PAY

D.R.O. No.	Eff. Date	Rank	Group	P.F. or A.S. Rate	Daily Rate	Add. Pay	Combined Rate	Pen. Ded.	Casualties affecting rate of pay
52	4.9.41	LAC	S	AS	150			NA	No 4 Wireless School
37	8.2.42	LAC	S	AS	150	75	225		Entitled to Flying Pay
64A	16.3.42	Sgt	SP	AS	345				Sgt. Sgt. W.A.G. Remustered Group
143	16.9.42	AFSgt	SP	AS	375		375		
64	16.9.42	AFSgt	SP	AS	375		375		

ASSIGNMENTS

Assignee	Eff. Date	Amount	Total
Sun Life Assurance Co	1.12.41	7 82	7 82
Mrs Belle Ruth Epstein	1.1.42	~~27 00~~	27 82
M.O.M. 9	1.5.42	50 00	57 82
Rae Son of Cam (3rd Warloan)	1.11.42	8 41	66 23

DEPENDENTS ALLOWANCE

Date App. Forwarded	Relationship	Amount Awarded
22.12.41	wife	

Period 1941	No. of Days	Amount of Pay	Sub. Allce.	Other Credits: Description	Other Credits: Amount	Credit B/F	Total Credits	Ass. Pay	Pen. Ded. & N.D.T.	Debit B/F	Other Debits: Description	Other Debits: Amount	Cas. Pay	Mid Pay	Total Debits to this Column	End Pay	Debits & Credits to Next Account	Casualties and Sig. of Acc
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R.C.A.F. FORM A.28
150M—10-41 (1009)
H.Q. 885-A-28

RECORD OF PAY

CLAIM FOR OUTFIT ALLOWANCE FORWARDED TO ..... ON .....

APPOINTED OR ENLISTED AT Montreal Que. ON 16.5.41

MARRIED OR SINGLE Married

NO. R104789

NAME IN FULL EPSTEIN M.M.

RATE OF PAY

D.R.O. No.	Eff. Date	Rank	Group	P.F. or A.S. Rate	Daily Rate	Add. Pay	Combined Rate	Pen. Ded.	Casualties affecting rate of pay
							3 75		
71	16.3.43	WO2	S/P	AS	4 35		4 35		
101	24.5.43	"	"	"	4 35	50	4 85		Auth. draw R.A. eff 24.5.43
	31.5.43	WO2	S/P	AS	4 35		4 35		Ceases R.A.

ASSIGNMENTS

Assignee	Eff. Date	Amount	Total
Forward			66 23
Ceases	1.5.43	8 41	57 82
~~Rec. Gen. (4 W.L.)~~	~~1.5.43~~	~~8 40~~	~~66 22~~
~~Belle Ruth Epstein (MFMA)~~	~~1.10.43~~	~~65 00~~	~~81 22~~
Fourth Victory Loan	1.11.43	8 40	72 82
Sun Life Assur. Co. (MFM 18)	1.11.43	7 82	65 00
Belle Ruth Epstein (MFM 18)	1.12.43	65 00	0

DEPENDENTS ALLOWANCE

Date App. Forwarded	Relationship	Amount Award	Eff. Date

REMARKS

N.D.T. CLASS.

Period	No. of Days	Amount of Pay	Sub. Allce.	Other Credits Description	Other Credits Amount	Credit B/F	Total Credits	Ass. Pay	Pen. Ded. & N.D.T.	Debit B/F	Other Debits Description	Other Debits Amount	Cas. Pay	Mid Pay	Total Debits to this Column	End Pay	Debits & Credits to Next Account	Casualties and Sig. of Acct. on Transfer of Account
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.....
(P.C. Darrell)
for: C.O. RCAF S[illegible]
Gander, Nfl[illegible]

RECEIVED
NOV 22
CASUALTY
SECTION

5725 Hutchison St.#6,
Montreal, Que.
November 18th, 1948.

Pc 4-4
NOV 19 1948
File No.
Chg'd to

Department of National Defence,
Parliament Bldg.,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir:-

I, Morris Epstein , would like to know the exact burial place of my late beloved son Wo. Max Mandel Epstein, R-104789, who lost his life in action November 8th, 1943. The accident occurred in Botwood, Newfoundland.

His wife remarried shortly after his death was confirmed and we have been unable to get any further information. Both my wife and myself have been under medical care ever since his accident, and as I am under medical treatment for Parkinson, we would greatly appreciate all the information you can supply us as it would be of great benefit to us all.

Hoping to hear from you as soon as possible with regard to this request, I remain,

Yours very truly,

Morris Epsteins

CANADA

IN REPLY PLEASE QUOTE

No. R104789 (R04)

Department of National Defence

IWGC copies amended 17.

R04 copies amended 17

OTTAWA, Ontario.
October 24th, 1955.

Mrs. E.J. Cosman,
2050 Claremont Ave.,
Apartment 33,
Montreal, P.Q.

Dear Mrs. Cosman:

I am sorry indeed that after so long an interval I must refer to the loss of your former husband, Warrant Officer Class One Mandel Epstein, who has been officially recorded as not having a "known" grave.

Due to the extreme hazards attending air, land and sea operations, many Royal Canadian Air Force boys do not have a "known" grave. All are being commemorated by name on Memorials erected at a number of locations, each Memorial representative of a theatre of operations.

The Memorials are erected by the Imperial War Graves Commission (of which Canada is a member) who has announced that one of the Memorials will be erected in Ottawa, Canada. The name of your former husband will appear on that Memorial.

It is believed that the Memorial will be erected during 1956, and during the period of construction, before the name of your former husband is engraved on the Memorial, you will receive a Verification Form to complete and mail to the Imperial War Graves Commission.

Yours sincerely,

F.F. Fadden S/L

for (W.R. Gunn)
Wing Commander,
R.C.A.F. Casualties Officer,
for Chief of the Air Staff.

RCAF G32B
450M-4-53 (7579)

R104789 (DPC)

OTTAWA, Canada, November 23rd, 1948.

Mr. Morris Epstein,
5725 Hutchison St., #6,
Montreal, Quebec.

Dear Mr. Epstein:

I wish to acknowledge your letter of November 18th, concerning your son, Warrant Officer Class I Mandel Epstein who lost his life on Active Service November 8th, 1943.

As you are doubtless aware, your son's aircraft crashed into the sea near Botwood, Newfoundland, and most unfortunately his body was never recovered, and your son has no 'Known' grave. Four others who were in the aircraft and lost their lives at that time also have never been recovered. Your son's name and the names of the four others who have no 'Known' graves will be commemorated on a general memorial which will be erected by the Imperial War Graves Commission (of which Canada is a member) to the memory of the great numbers of R.C.A.F. personnel who do not have 'Known' graves.

I am sorry indeed to hear of the illness of Mrs. Epstein and yourself, and deeply regret having to convey such distressing news to you, but would like to take this opportunity of expressing to you and the members of your family my deepest sympathy.

Yours sincerely,

(W. R. Gunn)
Wing Commander
R.C.A.F. Casualties Officer,
for Chief of the Air Staff.

WRG:LC

copy
Letter

Montreal. Dec. 26/45
9050 Belairmont Ave.
Apt. 33,
Montreal. Que.

1946 JAN
PM (1)

Pension Board.
Ottawa - Ontario

Dear Sirs.

Re. X. R 104789.
Mrs. Epstein

This is to advise you that I was married on December 25/45. Therefore I will not be entitled to receive any further pension concerning my late husband.

I believe, however, that I am entitled to a gratuitity from the Government.

Thanking you, I am

Yours truly
Mrs. E. J. Eastman
(Mrs. Belle Epstein)

check apb
to Dep 23 & 45

(2)
DM/DAI 15-2..

On your attention, please

#359 passed on 23-1-45 (initial)

Z. Foster

14 Jan

Cheque 49135 - Mar 3/45

849 Hollard Ave
Altremont
53860

HQ1040-E-220 FD169

ESTATES BRANCH

Ottawa, Canada,
December 14, 1944.

Mrs. Bell R. Epstein,
849 Dollard Avenue,
Outremont, Que.

EPSTEIN, Mandel M., (Deceased) - WO2.
No. R104789 - RCAF

Dear Mrs. Epstein:

Distribution can now be made of the amount of money here at credit of your late husband.

This is the total credit amount of your husband's Service estate and is made up as follows:

Balance of pay and allowances..... $76.13

The whole amount is paid to you as sole beneficiary named in your husband's Will on file at this Branch.

A request has been made for early transmission direct to you by Treasury of a cheque to your order for the above amount of $76.13 and upon receipt of same, it is requested that you sign the enclosed form of acknowledgement and return it to this Branch.

Also please find enclosed herewith one (1 X 50) Dominion of Canada Fourth Victory Loan Bond, 1957 Maturity bearing interest at 3%. #L4 M1527921 with all coupons attached Bearer, which is also forwarded to you as sole beneficiary of your husband's Will. Please sign the enclosed form of acknowledgement for this bond and return it to this Branch.

R OTTAWA, CANADA. ORIGINAL NO. 242

Yours faithfully,

(L.M. Firth) Colonel,
Director of Estates.

Encl. 3.
ECC/AET

Read this whole Form and Instructions on other side before commencing to complete.

WILL

R.C.A.F. R. 60
20M—12-40 (8303)
H.Q. 1062-3-45

(1) I, Mandel Mad Epstein of the City / ~~Town~~ / ~~Village~~ / Township

Last Permanent Civilian Address

of Montreal, in the County / ~~District~~ of ~

Province of Quebec, Clerk.
(Civil Occupation)

a member of the Royal Canadian Air Force, Number R.104789 do hereby revoke all former Wills by me made and declare this to be my LAST WILL.

(a) Relationship (b) Names and (c) Address of beneficiaries and (d) What each is to receive.

(2) I GIVE, DEVISE AND BEQUEATH unto my wife.

Mrs. Belle Ruth Epstein.
849 Holland Ave.
Montreal P.Q.

Relationship, Names and Address of Residuary Beneficiaries.

(3) I GIVE, DEVISE AND BEQUEATH all the rest and residue of my estate, both real and personal, of whatsoever kind and wheresoever situate unto

—

(4) I appoint Mrs. Belle Ruth Epstein (Name) 849 Holland Ave. (Address) Montreal, to be the ~~Executor~~ / Executrix of this my Last Will.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand this second day of April 1942.

Signed and acknowledged by the Testator, in the presence of us present at the same time who in his presence, at his request, and in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses.

Mandel Mad Epstein
(Signature of Testator)

First Witness sign here.

(5) John Beaulieu.
(Signature)
No. 1 C.A.D. Depot Halifax N.S.
(Address)
Clerk.
(Occupation)

Second Witness sign here.

Norman Smith
(Signature)
#1 C.A.D. Depot Halifax N.S.
(Address)
Clerk.
(Occupation)

R.C.A.F.
Rec'd APR 10 1942
O. K. C.I.
R. C. N. R. N. I.
S. L. P. A. E.R.

(Witnesses are not to be beneficiaries.)

[OVER]

FOR COMPLETION AND RETURN BY

Form P. 64

Mrs. Belle Ruth Epstein,
849 Dollard Avenue,
MONTREAL, Que.,

Any further communication on this subject should be addressed to:—

THE DIRECTOR OF ESTATES,
DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE,
OTTAWA, ONTARIO.

and the following number quoted:—

H.Q. 1040-E-220 FD 169

DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE
ESTATES BRANCH
OTTAWA, ONT.

July 26th, 194 4

For the purpose of record and in the event of there being any Service estate available for distribution (according to law) on account of the late

EPSTEIN, Mandel (Max), W.O. 2,

No. R.104789, R.C.A.F.

ESTATES BRANCH AUG 2 194 H.Q. OTTAWA. NATIONAL DEFENCE

it is necessary that certain information regarding the deceased and his relatives should be furnished the Estates Branch. You are asked therefore to read the enclosed memorandum before completing pages 2 and 3 of this form. The particulars required are to be carefully filled in and the Declaration on page 4 should then be signed in the presence of a Clergyman, Priest, Local Magistrate, Commissioner for Oaths, Notary Public or a Commissioned Officer of any of His Majesty's Forces who should be asked to complete and sign the Certificate. This form should then be returned to the above address.

If there is insufficient space for complete particulars to be given opposite any question on pages 2 and 3 of this form, the space under "additional remarks" on page 4 should be used.

E. C. Cocrane
Director of Estates.

ECC:TL

M.F.W. 77
6-44 (4878)
H.Q. 1772-39-972

ANSWER IN FULL ALL APPLICABLE QUESTIONS

STATEMENT of the Names, Ages and Addresses or Dates of Death, of all the relatives that the deceased ever had in each of the degrees specified below:

Degrees of Relationship	RELATIVES required to be accounted for		INFORMANT'S STATEMENT: NAME IN FULL of any Relative, if any, in each degree specified	Age	ADDRESS IN FULL of each surviving Relative, opposite his or her name, and date of death of each deceased relative
1	Widow of the Deceased		Mrs. Belle Ruth Epstein	29	849 Dollard Ave. Outremont. Que.
2	Children of the Deceased and dates of their Births		✓		✓
3	Father of the Deceased		Morris Baron Epstein	65	5725 Hutchison St. apt 6, Montreal. Que.
4	Mother of the Deceased		Marion Epstein	56	5725 Hutchison St. apt 6 Montreal. Que.
5	Brothers of the Deceased	Full Blood	L/Ac J. Epstein. R. 127431, R. C. A. F. 127 Airfield, R. C. A. F. Base Post Office. Overseas.	26	
			Ben Epstein	30	5725 Esplanade Ave
			Gordon Epstein	14	apt 6. Montreal. Que.
		Half Blood			do.
6	Sisters of the Deceased	Full Blood	Fanny Epstein	32	5725 Esplanade Ave. apt 6. Montreal. Que.
		Half Blood			
7	Names of brothers or sisters (whether of the full or the half blood) of the Deceased, *who are dead*, and date of death of each.		Names and ages of their children (if any)		Address of their children
	✓		✓		✓

ANSWER FULLY EACH QUESTION ON THIS PAGE

PARTICULARS AS TO IDENTITY

8	Full names of the deceased.	Mat Mandel Epstein
9	Date of his birth.	August 10/1916
10	Place and date of his marriage.	Guelph, Ontario. December 13th. 1941
11	Place and date of his parents' marriage.	Warsaw Poland.

PARTICULARS OF DOMICILE

12	Place where deceased was born.	Winnipeg. Manitoba.
13	State, in order, the Province, State and/or County in which he resided before enlistment and the period of time in each.	(a) Winnipeg. Manitoba (b) (c) 18 yrs. (d) Montreal. Que. 10 yrs.
14	Nature of employment before enlistment.	Accountant
15	State whether he owned the premises in which he lived, and, if so, where situated.	✓
16	Name place where deceased stated he intended to make his permanent home.	Montreal. Que.

PARTICULARS OF ESTATE

17	Did he leave a Will? If in your custody, please forward.	✓
18	If married, and domiciled in the Province of Quebec or in a State in the U.S.A. or in a Country under the laws of which there is community of property between spouses,—was there a marriage contract dealing with property?	No.
19	Did he have a Bank, Post Office or other deposit account? If so, give name and address of bank, etc., and the amount on deposit. Do you wish it administered with the pay account?	No.
20	Amount of War Savings Certificates held by deceased. Indicate where located.	3 War Savings Certificates $725 Hutchison St Montreal. Que. (Bearer)
21	Amount of Victory Loan Bonds held by deceased. Indicate whether registered or bearer and where located.	One Bond in Ottawa ($50.00) One fund at $725 Hutchison ($50.00)
22	If deceased had life insurance, name companies and amount payable under each policy and the person named as beneficiary therein.	Sun Life Insurance Co. ($2,000.00) Morris Epstein. Returnable Premium Policy Sun Life Insurance $90.00
23	Describe other assets, if any, and estimated value thereof. Use space on page 4 if necessary.	✓

OTHER PARTICULARS

24	Did the deceased after enlistment incur any debts for:— *(a)* His own separate board and lodging while on service. *(b)* Service clothing and equipment. An itemized account for each such debt should be attached hereto, and if same is correct you should mark the bill "approved" and sign same. If believed incorrect, give particulars.	✓ ✓
25	Have you or any other relative paid the funeral expenses or any part thereof? If so, attach itemized accounts showing amount paid, and by whom.	✓

(NOTE:—The government pays funeral expenses within the amounts authorized in the Regulations, where death occurs and burial is made Overseas as well as where death occurs and burial is made in Canada or elsewhere in the North American zone, and if a relative has already paid those expenses the Government will reimburse such relative to the extent of the amount authorized in the Regulations. Any amount of such expenses in excess of those authorized in the Regulations is not payable by the Government nor is it chargeable against the service estate of the deceased.)

(PLEASE TURN OVER)

DECLARATION

*Insert degree of relationship for example, "Widow", "Father", "Brother", etc.

I hereby declare that all the particulars shown on this form are correct, and a true and complete statement of all the relatives that the deceased ever had in the degrees specified; and that I am the

*Wife ..... of the deceased.

N.B.—To be signed in full in the presence of a Clergyman, Priest, Local Magistrate, Commissioner or Notary Public or Commissioned Officer of any of His Majesty's Forces.

Mrs Belle R. Epstein ..... Signature of Informant

849 Bolland Ave. Outremont. Que. ..... Address

CERTIFICATE

I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief Belle R Epstein

See above. ..... {Name of informant} is the widow ..... of the Deceased above described. The above Declaration was made by the Informant and signed in my presence.

Dated at Montreal this 31st day of July 1944

Signature of Clergyman, Priest, Magistrate, Commissioner or Notary Public or Commissioned Officer of any of His Majesty's Forces. J M Shapiro Qualification Commissioner of Superior Court District of Montreal

Address 5560 Durocher Outremont PQ

NOTE.—Before granting the above Certificate, care should be taken to see that the informant gives particulars concerning the death of any Relative stated by him or her to have died, and that the full name and address and age of each surviving Relative specified is stated in its proper place in the Statement opposite.

(If the deceased has no living relatives of the degrees shown on page 2, the names and addresses and relationship of other relatives should be set out below.)

USE SPACE BELOW FOR ANY ADDITIONAL REMARKS YOU MAY WISH TO MAKE

OFFICIAL ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE CASUALTY NOTIFICATION

NUMBER R104789 RANK W.O. 2 UNIT 116 BR SQDN BOTWOOD, NFLD.

TRADE W.O.A.G. (SP.GR.)

NAME EPSTEIN, MANDEL (MAX)

R.C.A.F.	R.A.F.	R.A.A.F.	R.N.Z.A.F.	OTHER
X				

MARITAL STATUS ~~XXXXX~~ MARRIED RELIGION HEBREW CANADIAN YES

FRENCH CANADIAN OTHER

NEXT OF KIN AS SHOWN ON REC. OF SERV. & RELATIONSHIP MRS. B.R. EPSTEIN (WIFE)
ADDRESS 849 DOLLARD AVE
MONTREAL, QUE.
NAME ADDRESS D.A.B. NOT SHOWN

NEXT OF KIN AS SHOWN ON CAS. SIG. & RELATIONSHIP MRS. BELLE RUTH EPSTEIN (WIFE)
ADDRESS 849 DOLLARD AVE.,
MONTREAL, QUE.

FATHER'S NAME
ADDRESS LIVING ON ENLISTMENT YES

MOTHER'S NAME MR. & MRS. MORRIS BARON EPSTEIN
ADDRESS 5725 HUTCHISON ST. APT. 6 LIVING ON ENLISTMENT YES
MONTREAL, QUE.

WAS MEMBER ATTACHED TO R.A.F. AT ANY TIME? YES/~~NO~~ X

IF CASUALTY OCCURRED IN CANADA DID MEMBER HAVE SERVICE OUTSIDE CANADA DURING WAR WITH THE GERMAN REICH? ~~YES/NO~~ YES (NEWFOUNDLAND)

IF ON LEAVE, STATE DATE LEAVE COMMENCED AND WHETHER ON LEAVE WITH OR WITHOUT PAY?

CASUALTY DETAILS:

AUTHORITY CAS. SIG. NO. K.R. AIR PARA 710 (3) -----D-NOT SHOWN

PREVIOUSLY REPORTED "MISSING" ~~now~~ BELIEVED KILLED" 8-NOV-43 AS A RESULT OF A FLYING ACCIDENT (ON BAY ABOUT 400 YARDS SOUTH EAST OF BOTWOOD) (TRANSPORTATION FLIGHT)

NOW "PRESUMED DEAD" 8-NOV-43 FOR OFFICIAL PURPOSES.

RS 27/6

ESTATES BRANCH JUL 5 1944 H.Q. OTTAWA. NATIONAL DEFENCE

LAST WILL ATTACHED TO NOTIFICATION TO A. OF E.? YES/~~NO~~ (2) M.F.M. 5 ATTACHED TO NOTIFICATION TO A. OF E.? YES/~~NO~~

DATE 19-JUNE-44

CERTIFICATE P. OF D. ATTACHED TO A. OF E. COPY YES/~~NO~~

J. L. Westman F/L

FOR CHIEF OF THE AIR STAFF

△TS-RT 2 ADMINISTRATOR OF ESTATES, OTTAWA 15199

R.C.A.F. G.64
5M—10-42 (2840)
H.Q. 885-G-64

Royal Canadian Air Force

CERTIFICATE OF PRESUMPTION OF DEATH

NO. 7795

This is to Certify that

R104709 W.O.2 EPSTEIN, MANDEL R.C.A.F.
(Number) (Rank) (Name in Full) (Unit)

has been officially reported as missing since the 8TH day

of NOVEMBER 1943, and that, full inquiries having been made, no information has been received which would indicate that he may be still alive. For official purposes, therefore, he is presumed to have died on or since the above mentioned date.

Dated at Ottawa, Canada, this 19TH day of JUNE 1944

(T.K. McDougall)
Group Captain
R.C.A.F. Records Officer.

To be made out in duplicate

M.F.M. 5
40M—10-40 (7523)
H.Q. 1772-39-1651

R.C.A.F. Special Reserve

PARTICULARS OF FAMILY OF AN OFFICER OR OTHER RANK OF THE C.A.S.F. OR R.C.A.F. (ON ACTIVE SERVICE)

INSTRUCTIONS.

(*a*) This form is to be completed immediately an officer or other rank is appointed to, or enlisted in, the C.A.S.F. or R.C.A.F. (ON ACTIVE SERVICE).

(*b*) All questions, etc., must be completed.

(*c*) Both copies of the form are to be forwarded by the Officer Commanding the unit for each officer and other rank, to the Paymaster, or Officer acting as such. The latter will transmit one copy, through the District, Command, or Camp Paymaster, to the Officer i/c Records, N.D.H.Q., Ottawa. The other copy will be retained by the Paymaster of the unit, when transferred to another unit the copy retained by the Paymaster will be sent to the Paymaster of the individuals new unit.

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(1) Name of Officer of Other Rank EPSTEIN, MANDEL ([redacted])
(Surname first—Christian names in full—Block capitals)

(2) Regimental or Air Force Number and Rank R104789 AC.2 Std.

(3) Unit ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE.

(4) Are you married? NO

(5) If married, state,

(*a*) Full name of your wife N.A.

(*b*) Present postal address of wife N.A.

(6) If married, have you been regularly supporting your wife? If not—state reasons NO

(7) Are you a widower? NO

(8) Have you any children? NO Number of boys N.A. Girls N.A.

Names and ages N.A.

(9) If Dependents' Allowance is claimed in respect of children—state whether you have been regularly supporting them N.A.

Give particulars of Guardian to whom Dependents' Allowance should be paid—if authorized.

Name N.A.

Postal Address N.A.

R.C.A.F. Records
Recd MAY 26 1941
O.K. C.I.B.
R.C. N.I.
S.L. P.A.

[SEE OTHER SIDE]

(10) Have you a common-law wife—whom you have been regularly supporting and publicly representing as your wife for at least 2 years immediately prior to appointment or enlistment? NO

If so, state her full name and Postal Address N.A.

(11) Is your father alive? YES

If so, state name and address, occupation Morris Baron Epstein, 5725 Hutchison St., Montreal, P.Q., Tinsmith.

(12) If your father is a widower and is totally incapacitated from earning a living—are you his sole or partial support? NO

(13) If sole or partial support of father who is a widower, totally incapacitated from earning a living —state what amount per month you have given him prior to appointment or enlistment. N.A.

Also state reason he has no other means of support if partially supported by you, what is your reason for not providing full support? N.A.

(14) Is your mother alive? YES

If so, state name and address Marion [redacted] (EPSTEIN), 5725 Hutchison St., Montreal, P.Q.

(15) If your mother is a widow, are you her sole or partial support? NO

(16) If sole or partial support of widowed mother—state what amount per month you have given her prior to appointment or enlistment N.A.

Also state reason why she has no other means of support, if partially supported by you what is your reason for not providing full support? N.A.

(17) Are you contributing to the support of any dependents, other than those shown above? NO
This may include any brothers 16 years of age or under, or any sisters 17 years of age or under, solely supported and maintained as bona fide members of your household before your appointment or enlistment.

If so, state the following particulars:—

Relationship N.A.

Full Name N.A.

Postal Address N.A.

Amount contributed monthly during the past six months N.A.

(18) Are you insured? YES

If so, in what Company? Sun Life Ins. Co.
(Give number of policy)

Have you made arrangements for payment of your Insurance Premium? YES
If not, and it is a monthly premium, you may assign the amount in addition to any other assignment you wish to make, provided the total assignment is not in excess of the maximum monthly amount which may be assigned.

I hereby certify that the information given by me on this form is correct in each and every particular.

x Maf Epstein
(Signature of officer or man)

Date May 16th, 1941.

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for Officer Commanding R.C.A.F. Recruiting Centre, Montreal, P.Q.

Date May 16th, 1941.

N.B. If parent(s) of the officer or other rank concerned has (have) been replaced by foster parent(s), questions relating to fathers and/or mothers above should be altered and answered as applicable.

R 104789 **W.O.2 Epstein - List of Personal Belongings**

1	blue parka
1	blue jacket
1	dressing gown
9	shirts
2	pr. trousers
1	pr. running shoes
1	sweater
1	pr. short trunks
3	pr. pyjamas
1	bathing trunks
3	under shirts
4	black ties
1	pr. dress gloves
3	suit underwear
1	towel
9	pr. socks
17	handkerchiefs
1	pr. braces
2	pr. low shoes
2	pr. slippers
1	pr. rubbers
2	handbags
1	dictionary
1	picture album
	razor blades
1	writing pad
1	hair brush
1	pr. garters
1	money belt
6	packages cigarettes
	cleaning material
1	nailfile
3	kitbag locks
2	hangers
2	belts
1	comb
~~1~~	~~calendar~~ (Service issue)
1	holdall
	toilet articles
1	scarf
1	dickie
1	wag wing
1	small suitcase (In motor)

Articles to be sent by Registered Mail

1	pr. Glasses and case
1	pr. sun glasses
	photographs
	letters
2	razors
1	fountain pen
1	pr. scissors
1	penknife
	keys
3	collar studs

{ Returned with kit

1 Tr
23/5/44

The above articles turned over to stores for safe keeping, Nov. 16, 1943.

Signed:

(K.A. Walker) F/L,
Senior Equipment Officer,
R.C.A.F. Stn., Botwood, Nfld.

1040-E-220 (R.O.4)

OTTAWA, Canada, 24th November, 1944.

Mrs. M. Epstein,
849 Dollard Avenue,
Montreal, Quebec.

Dear Mrs. Epstein:

I am directed to advise you that your husband Mandel Esptein, has been promoted to the rank of Warrant Officer Class I with effect from September 16th, 1943.

This promotion follows a procedure adopted by the Royal Canadian Air Force, that all Aircrew members of the service if recommended by their Commanding Officer should at the end of the required lapse of time from their last promotion be promoted to higher rank. This promotion procedure has been made retroactive in order to extend the same recognition to those who have unhappily lost their lives.

It is my sincere hope that you may find sustaining comfort in the knowledge that the qualities of your gallant husband are thus recognized, and it is regretted that this information could not be passed to you at an earlier date but the delay in notifying you was unavoidable.

May I express to you and the members of your family my profound sympathy.

Yours sincerely,

for (T.K. McDougall) G/C,
R.C.A.F. Records Officer,
for Chief of the Air Staff.

GCV.

FORM 6

DOMINION BUREAU OF STATISTICS—QUEBEC DEATH TRANSCRIPT

Do not write in this space

1. PLACE OF DEATH

Municipal county: OVERSEAS (NEWFOUNDLAND) | Official name of civil municipality or township: | *Place an X over the word which applies to this municipality or this territory:* City | Town | Village | Parish | Township

Street: | No. | Hospital or Institution:

2. LENGTH OF STAY

(a) In hospital or institution	Years	Months	Days	(b) In municipality where death occurred	Years	Months	Days	(c) In Province	Years	Months	Days	(d) In Canada (if immigrant)	Years	Months	Days

3. NAME OF DECEASED

Surname: EPSTEIN (*Block letters*)

Given names: MANDEL (MAX)

Do not write in this space

4. RESIDENCE

Street: Hutchison Street No. 5725

Official name of civil municipality or township: Montreal

Municipal county: Province: Quebec

5. SEX	6. NATIONALITY (Citizenship)	7. RACIAL ORIGIN	8. Single, Married, Widowed or Divorced (*Write the word*)
Male	Canadian	Russian	Married

9. If married give name of wife or husband of deceased:

10. BIRTHPLACE (Province or Country): Manitoba

11. DATE OF BIRTH: August (Month) 10th (Day) 1916 (Year)

12. AGE OF DECEASED	Years	Months	Days	If less than one day old
	27			....hrs. or ....min.

OCCUPATION

13. Trade, profession or kind of work, as **spinner, teamster, office clerk,** etc.: Wireless Operator Air Gunner

14. Kind of industry or business, as **cotton-mill, lumbering, bank,** etc.: R.C.A.F.

15. Date deceased last worked at this occupation: Nov.8/43

16. Total years spent in this occupation: Two

	17. NAME	18. BIRTHPLACE (Province or Country)
FATHER	Epstein, Morris Baron	Russia
MOTHER (Maiden Name)	Segal, Marion	Russia

19. Place of burial, cremation or removal:

20. Date of burial: ....19....

PLACE OF REGISTRATION OF THIS BURIAL

(a) Name of parish or church:

(b) Civil municipality of:

(c) Municipal county:

(d) Date: ....19.... (Month) (Day) (Year)

CONFIDENTIAL MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

22. Date of death: November (Month) 8th (Day) 1943 (Year)

23. I HEREBY CERTIFY that I attended deceased from ....19.... to ....19....

and last saw h.... alive on ....19....

24. CAUSE OF DEATH

I

Immediate cause Give disease, injury or complication which caused death, **not** the mode of dying, such as heart failure, asphyxia, asthenia, etc.

(a) Previously reported missing in flying accident, now

due to for official purposes, presumed dead.

Morbid conditions, if any, giving rise to immediate cause (stated in order proceeding backwards from immediate cause).

(b)

due to

(c)

II

Other morbid conditions (if important) contributing to death but **not causally related to immediate cause.**

III If a communicable disease is mentioned on this certificate, give (a) Date of appearance ....19....

(b) Duration of disease ....days

25. If a woman, was there a puerperal condition?....

26. Was there a surgical operation? Date of ....19....

State findings.... Was there an autopsy?....

27. If death was due to external causes (violence) fill in also the following:—

Accident, suicide or homicide: Accident (State which) Date: Nov.8th 43 ....19....

Manner of injury: Presumed killed in flying accident. (Transportation flight) (How sustained)

Nature of injury....

Specify whether injury occurred in **industry, in home, or in public place**: public place

Signed ....**M.D.**

Address.... **Date** ....19....

28. Signature of person who fills in the form (curate, coroner, hospital authority, etc.)

For (R.C.A.F. Records Officer)

This signature authorizes the collector to accept this form as authentic.

29. Name of clergyman in charge of Register of Civil Status in which registration of this burial was made.

(Voir l'autre côté pour le français)

CANADA B.C.A.T.P.

R.C.A.F. T. 82
5M—11-40 (8313)
H.Q. 1062-13-65

ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE

REPORT ON PUPIL WIRELESS OPERATOR (AIR GUNNER) OR AIR GUNNER

AIR AND GROUND TRAINING

Surname Epstein, Christian Names M.M.

Number R104789 Rank LAC

INSTRUCTIONS

1. At the conclusion of each stage of training this report must be completed and forwarded as indicated below in sufficient time to arrive on or before the date on which the pupil reports for the commencement of the next stages of training:—

Original and Duplicate—From Wireless School to Bombing and Gunnery School.

2. On completion of training, the original is to be placed on the pupil's personal file and the duplicate forwarded to Air Force Headquarters through Command Headquarters.

3. In the event of the discontinuance of training at any stage, the duplicate is to be forwarded to R.C.A.F. Headquarters through Command Headquarters with full particulars as to the cause of discontinuance of training and instructor's report as to the reasons for the pupil's failure and the original is to be placed on the pupil's personal file.

4. A pupil will be entitled to "Pass" if he obtains not less than 60 per cent of the total marks in the Written, Practical and Oral Tests, and not less than 50 per cent in each of the separate subjects included in this Test.

PART I

WIRELESS TRAINING

1. No. 4 Wireless School. Course No. 25 To 13-2-42 From 1-9-41

2. *Flying Times*—

(a) In Flying Classroom as 1st Operator 4.05 hours.

(b) In Flying Classroom, listening watch N.A. hours.

(c) In 2-seat aircraft as sole operator 10.20 hours.

3. Assessment as Air Operator (delete categories not applicable). Unless at least 5 hours has been shown against para. 2 *(a)* above, no assessment is to be made and therefore all categories are to be deleted. ~~Above Average~~ Average ~~Below Average~~

4. *Ground Training*—

Subject	Maximum marks	Marks obtained	Subject	Maximum marks	Marks obtained
Theory	50	41	Signals Organization	150	108
Radio Equipment	250	180	Armament	100	69
Morse (buzzer and lamp)	200	200	Drill and P.T	50	43
Procedure	200	176	TOTALS	1000	817

Maximum Marks, 1000. Marks Obtained 817 Percentage 81.7 Pass or Fail Pass

Position in Class 71 No. in Class 146

5. Date authorized to wear Wireless Operator's Badge 13-2-42

PART I—*Concluded*

WIRELESS TRAINING

Numerical assessment as to suitability for Commissioned Rank:

6. ~~Comments as to suitability for Commissioned Rank~~ .....

(To be marked on a basis of 500 marks)

.....

390

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Officer Commanding

No. 4 Wireless School

Date 13-2-42.

To be passed to No. 6 B. G. S.

PART II

ARMAMENT TRAINING

1. No. 6 B. G. S. Course No. 25-A

2. Dates of Courses:— From 16-2-42 To 16-3-42

AIR TRAINING

GUNNERY

3. *Flying Time:*—

Aircraft	Day	Night	Passenger	Total Hrs.	Total Mins.
BATTLE	9 . 20			9	20

4. *Air Gunnery Results*— Average percentage hits to rounds fired

(*a*) Beam Test ..... 4.5 %

(*b*) Beam Relative Speed Test ..... 3. %

(*c*) Under Tail Test ..... 7. %

5. *Total Rounds Fired*—

Ground ..... 900 ~~%~~

Air to Ground ..... 465 ~~%~~

Air to Air ..... 1775 ~~%~~

6. *Assessment*— Marks Obtained

(*a*) Written Examination ..... (100 Marks) 74

(*b*) Practical and Oral Examination ..... (100 Marks) 62

(*c*) Ability as Firer ..... (250 Marks) 150

(*d*) ~~Qualities as an N.C.O~~ ..... ~~(150 Marks)~~

Totals ..... ~~(600~~ 450 Marks) 286

7. Position in Class 29 No. in Class 37 Pass or Fail Pass

8. Date authorized to wear Air Gunner's Badge 16-3-42

9. ~~Comments on suitability for Commissioned Rank~~ Numerical assessment as to suitability for Commissioned Rank: 188
(To be marked on a basis of 250 marks)

10. Remarks .....

His air firing results are considered satisfactory, and he should be a keen and reliable Air Gunner.

S/L

for Chief Instructor

No. 6 B. G. S.

Date 16-3-42

PART II—*Concluded*

AIR TRAINING

11. *Final Assessment* (to be completed at B. G. S.)

Course	Maximum Marks	Marks Obtained
Wireless School	1000	817
Bombing and Gunnery School	450 ~~600~~	286
TOTALS	1450 ~~1600~~	1103

12. Percentage 76.06 Pass or Fail Pass Position in Class 16

No. in Class 30

13. ~~Recommended for Commissioned Rank~~ Assessment
(yes or no) *(ex., above average)*

14. Remarks. His work in class was above average, and he appears to be reliable and conscientious.

W/C
Officer Commanding
No. 6 B. G. S.

Date 16-3-42

WBAG

R104789

B.C.A.T.P.
CANADA
R.C.A.F. Special Reserve

ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE

INTERVIEW REPORT

SURNAME..... EPSTEIN

CHRISTIAN NAMES..... Max Mandel

MARRIED.....SINGLE.....NO. OF CHILDREN.....NONE.....

N.F.

FLY-ING

AGE.....24.....
HEIGHT.....
WEIGHT.....

ADMINISTRATION.....
TECHNICAL .....
EQUIP./ACCTS.....
GEN. LIST .....

PILOT.....
OBSERVER.....X.
W.O. AIR GUNNER.....

EDUCATIONAL STANDING:- Number of years

High School.....2.....Technical.....Commercial.....

University (Name and dates of Attendance).....

1 year McGill Accouting

Standing other Countries.....NONE.....

FLYING EXPERIENCE:- Total hours

Commercial Hours Solo.....Dual.....

Private " Solo.....Dual.....Passenger.....2/3

No. Hours & Types during last 2 yrs.....2/3 passenger.....

MILITARY AND OTHER TRAINING:-

FIVE MONTHS GUNNER N.P.A.M. ONE MONTH CAMP

ONE YEAR ON BLUE PRINTS & GEN. STORES WITH

VULCAN IRON WORKS

SPORTS:- (What branches)

SOCCER HOCKEY BASEBALL

HOBBIES: SHOOTING HUNTING WOODWORK MORSE RADIO

INTERVIEWING OFFICER'S OPINION AS TO CHARACTER AND SUITABILITY FOR THE SERVICE:-

QUITE KEEN AND GOOD APPEARING MOST ANXIOUS TO SERVE

SHOULD MAKE GOOD AIR CREW MATERIAL

REFERENCES CHECKED--SATISFACTORY
" " --UNSATISFACTORY
" NOT CHECKED.

REFERENCES CHECKED 16-1-41 (Date) J.C. (Initials)

CONSIDERED SUITABLE FOR COMMISSIONED RANK?.....POSSIBLY.....

BEST FITTED FOR.....WIRELESS OPERATOR AIR GUNNER.....

DATE

RECRUITING CENTRE
MONTREAL

F. W. McCrea, F/O.

Signature of Officer

APPROACH
Confident.....X.....
Nervous.....
Easy.....

CARRIAGE
Upright.....X.....
Medium.....
Athletic.....

DRESS
Neat.....X.....
Conservative.....X.....
Clean.....X.....
Careless.....

PHYSIQUE
Medium.....X.....
Heavy set.....
Slender.....

SPEECH
Clear.....X.....
Slow.....
Hesitant.....

RESPONSE
Quick.....X.....
Deliberate.....
Slow.....

MANNER
Alert.....X.....
Confident.....X.....
Sincere.....X.....
Reserved.....
Nervous.....
Overbearing.....
Irresponsible.....

EXCELLENT.....

ABOVE AVERAGE.....

X
AVERAGE.....

BELOW AVERAGE.....

MARK WITH AN X THE DESCRIPTION WHICH APPLIES

OFFICER COMMANDING,
R.C.A.F. RECRUITING CENTRE,
MONTREAL, QUEBEC

directed Wireless Operator air Gunner & Standard

ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE

B.C.A.F. Special Reserve

B.C.A.T.P. CANADA

RECORD OF SERVICE AIRMEN

R104789	Epstein	Mandel (Max)	Hebrew
A.F. No.	Surname	Christian Names	Religion

Born 10/8/16 Place Winnipeg Man Country Canada Citizen of Canada Racial Origin Canadian

ENLISTMENT	CIVIL EDUCATION	PREVIOUS SERVICE
Date 16/5/41	High School Entrance Jr. Mat. 2 yrs High Sr. Mat.	3rd Med. Bty.
At Montreal	Technical School Corres. Courses	R.C.A.
Term Duration	University 1 yr McGill	12/8/40 – 15/5/41

RANK	DATE			Med. Cat.	Date		
AC.2	16	5	41	A3B	14	1	41
DRO 52/4-9-41 LAC	4	9	41				
Sgt	16	3	42				
A/F/SGT (Pd)	16	9	42	DRO 143/42			
T/F/Sgt (Pd)	16	9	42	DRO 64/42			
A/Wo2 (Pd)	16	3	43	DRO 71/43			
T/Wo2	16	3	43	DRO 92/43			

CIVIL OCCUPATIONS AND EXPERIENCE

Clerk Accountant 1935 – 1941

COURSES AND TRADE TESTS

Trade	Grp.	%	PorF	Date Rem.	Trade	Grp.	%	PorF	Date Rem.
W.O. (A-G)	Std.								
WOAG	Spl		P	16 3 42					

PARTICULARS OF FAMILY M ~~X~~ ~~D~~

Wife Bella Ruth Golt — Maiden Name — Present Address (in pencil) 849 Dollard Rd. Montreal, Que.

Children	Names	Date of Birth	Place of Birth

NAME(S) ADDRESS AND RELATIONSHIP OF PERSONS TO BE INFORMED OF CASUALTIES (in pencil)

Mrs B.R. Epstein (wife)
849 Dollard Ave.,
Montreal, Que.

LEAVE

From	To	Auth. and Description
Dis Spec L/W	#C52235	DRO 143/19-12-41
1-3-42	30-3-42	14 Embark DRO 64A
1-9-42	26-9-42	ANN. DRO 99/42
ISSUED SPEC T/W#C	116068 d/6-9-42	DRO 99/42
1-3-43	15-3-43	DRO 30/43 Annual
19-8-43	2-9-43	DRO 149 Annual
~~retained Sgt.~~		

CHARACTER AND TRADE ASSM. HONOURS, AWARDS AND MENTIONS

Date	Character	Trade and Assm.	Honours and Awards	Signature
16-3-42	Awarded Air Gunners Badge			
26/10/42	GOOD	SAT.		

MOVEMENTS AND CASUALTIES

Authority	Unit from	Unit to	Date
AC.30 M/18/3/41	R.C.	#1 M.D.	
	Montreal P.Q.	Toronto Ont.	16/5/41
		DRO 117/41	
DRO 136/41	#1 M.D. Toronto	#1 S.F.T.S. Camp Borden	9-6-41
DRO 152	#1 S.F.T.S. Camp Borden	#4 W.S. Guelph	4-8-41
DRO 27 d/6-8-41 TOS	#4 W.S.	Guelph Ont	4-8-41
32 d/12-8-41 DRO 27 eff date is amended to			5-8-41
DRO 38/42 SOS	#4 W.S. Guelph Ont	#6 B&G S. Mountainview	14-2-42
DRO 64A	RCAF Stn	#1 Y.O.E.D.O.T.	
	Mt. View	Halifax	17-3-42
DRO 125	Y.O.E.D.O.T.	#16 B.R. Sydney	21.4.42

Authority	Unit from	Unit to	Date
DRO 96/42 T.O.S	———	#116 BR. Dartmouth N.S.	22.4.42.
DRO 131/42 ON DET. DUTY AT BOTWOOD NFLD. — ATT'D TO STN BOTWOOD FOR PAY, RATIONS & QUARTERS			31.5.42 1.6.42.
DRO 187/42 Ceases Det. Duty at Botwood			31.7.42
DRO 133/42 Proceeded on T/D to Hopedale, Labrador			8.10.42
DRO 133/42 Ceases to be on T/D at	✓	✓	9.10.42
DRO 45/42 REPORTED ON T/D FROM BOTWOOD TO		SHELBURNE	13-11-42
DRO 53/42 ~~Attached to Stn Shelburne for all purposes~~			13-11-42
DRO 66/42 Proceed on T/D to Sydney			25-11-42
DRO 66/42 Ceases to be on T/D			1-12-42
DRO 52 Ont T.D.	Shelburne	Dartmouth	18 March 43
DRO 52 Ceases T.D.	"	"	18 March 43

R.C.A.F. R.44C
100M—12-40 (8755)
H.Q. 1062-3-58

(OVER)

DRO 101 Authorized	to draw	ration allowance		eff 24-5-43			
DRO 107 attached to RCAF Stn		Botwood		n/fld eff	31-5-43		
DRO 107 On T/D from Botwood to Shelburne NS				eff	1-6-43		
dep by Air 10.30hrs 1-6-43 (1 day)							
DRO 80/43 Proceeded on T/D		RCAF Stn	N. Sydney	6-6-43			
" " Ceases T/D		"	"	8-6-43			
Entitled to draw	50¢ Per diem	ration allow.					
from 14-8-43	To 1-9-43 (19 days).						
DRO 166 T/D	116 Sqdn	#4 R.D.					
	Botwood	Scoudouc	10-9-43				
Returning	#4 R.D.	116 Sqdn					
	Scoudouc	Botwood	15-9-43				
Missing after Air operations					8-11-43		
Ceases to Occupy ~~qts~~ & draw rations					8-11-43		
DRO 137 SOS	116 Sqn GANDER	116 Sqn SYDNEY	7-6-44				

Transcribed to RZ30

Finger Printed
Date 15-3-41
Initials. E.B.

Sgt 16-3-42

RD

P.A.

ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE
RECOMMENDATION FOR APPOINTMENT TO HIGHER RANK

RCAF—R.14 (REVISED)
200M-1-42 (1521)
H.Q. 1062-3-17

1. No. R104789 2. Trade Wireless Air Gunner 3. Group Special

4. Name EPSTEIN, Mandel (Max) 5. Date of Birth 10-8-16 6. Date of Enlist 16-5-41

7. Present Temp. Rank or Classification Flight Sergeant (Paid) Effective 16 Sept., 1942

8. Present Acting Rank Warrant Officer, Class 2 (Paid) Effective 16 Mch., 1943
(~~Unpaid~~)

9. Number of General Conduct Sheet Entries in past 6 months None Present evidence of Debt No
(Yes or No)

9A. If aircrew, number of blameworthy entries in log book None

10. If under 33 years of age and with Aircrew Educational qualifications

Medical Category on M2 Examination Date M2 Exam.

11. If A1B — A3B Med. Cat. is Airman desirous of Aircrew training under existing regulations
(Yes or No)

12.

TRADE PROFICIENCY		CHARACTER ASSESSMENT	
LAST	PRESENT	LAST	PRESENT
Sat.	SAT.	Good	V. GOOD

(To be completed in accordance with provisions of K.R. (Air) paras. 415 and 416)

13. REMARKS Always willing to co-operate - very good worker.

I recommend the subject Airman for advancement in rank and consider that he is immediately fitted to discharge the duties of the rank of Acting Warrant Officer, Class 2 (Paid) in his trade.

I ~~consider~~ do not consider this Airman potential officer material.

W.G. Pate S/L — 14 April, 1943 — Officer Commanding,
(W.G. Pate) (*Signature*) (*Rank*) (*Appointment*)

#116 Squadron, Shelburne, N.S. — 14 April, 1943
Unit — Date

(PARAS. 12 and 13 MUST be completed and signed by Unit Commanding Officer)

14. **QUALIFICATION REPORT DRILL AND CEREMONIAL**

Certified that the subject Airman has been subjected to Qualifying Tests in Drill and Ceremonial before a Board of qualified personnel and is in all respects qualified up to and including the rank of Warrant Officer, Class 2 in accordance with the Standards prescribed (A.F.A.O. A.51/14)

H Shewan F/O.
(President)

15. **TO BE COMPLETED BY COMMANDING OFFICER ONLY**
REVIEW ONE MONTH PRIOR TO DATE OF NORMAL APPOINTMENT TO TEMPORARY PAID RANK

Certified that the all-round proficiency of the subject Airman has been reviewed at this date.

He is RECOMMENDED for,

(a) Appointment to Temporary Rank,

(b) ~~Retention in Acting Rank for a further period of~~

(c) ~~Reduction to substantive rank~~

STRIKE OUT ITEMS NOT APPLICABLE. If action under (b) is recommended or action under (c) is taken by promulgation in Unit D.R.O.'s, D.A.P.S. is to be notified immediately.

14 April 43 — W.G. Pate S/L
(Date) (Signature)

16. Recommended for appointment to rank of Warrant Officer, Class

(Command Specialist Officer) (Date) (Air Officer Commanding) (Date)

FOR HEADQUARTERS USE ONLY

Education	University Degree	Senior Matric.	Junior Matric.	Entrance Standard or Below

Appointed to rank of (Paid) Effective

by Dated

Particulars Checked — Appointment Approved

Signature

Rank Action to be taken by unit

Appointment W/O 26/4/43

Date

NOTE:—Recommendations for Warrant Rank to be submitted to Commands in duplicate.

ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE
RECOMMENDATION FOR APPOINTMENT TO HIGHER RANK

RCAF—R.14 (REVISED)
200M-1-42 (1521)
H.Q. 1062-3-17

1. No. R.104789 2. Trade W.O.A.G. 3. Group SG

Name ~~Mendel (Max)~~ Epstein M. (MAX) 5. Date of Birth 10-8-16 6. Date of Enlist 16-5-41

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7. Present Temp. Rank or Classification Sergeant (Paid) Effective 16-3-42

8. Present Acting Rank Flight Sergeant (Paid) Effective 16-9-42

9. Number of General Conduct Sheet Entries in past 6 months Nil Present evidence of Debt No (Yes or No)

9A. If aircrew, number of blameworthy entries in log book Nil

10. If under 33 years of age and with Aircrew Educational qualifications

Medical Category on M2 Examination Date M2 Exam.

11. If A1B—A3B Med. Cat. is Airman desirous of Aircrew training under existing regulations (Yes or No)

12.

TRADE PROFICIENCY		CHARACTER ASSESSMENT	
LAST	PRESENT	LAST	PRESENT
Nil	Sat.	Nil	Good

(To be completed in accordance with provisions of K.R. (Air) paras. 415 and 416)

13. REMARKS This N.C.O. is a very conscientious worker.

I recommend the subject Airman for advancement in rank and consider that he is immediately fitted to discharge the duties of the rank of Flight Sergeant in his trade.

I ~~consider~~ do not consider this Airman potential officer material.

M.G. Doyle — Squadron Leader — Officer Commanding
(Signature) (M.G. Doyle) (Rank) (Appointment)

No. 116 Squadron — 26/10/42
Unit — Date

(PARAS. 12 and 13 MUST be completed and signed by Unit Commanding Officer)

14. **QUALIFICATION REPORT DRILL AND CEREMONIAL**

Certified that the subject Airman has been subjected to Qualifying Tests in Drill and Ceremonial before a Board of qualified personnel and is in all respects qualified up to and including the rank of F/S in accordance with the Standards prescribed (A.F.A.O. A.51/14)

(President)

15. **TO BE COMPLETED BY COMMANDING OFFICER ONLY**

REVIEW ONE MONTH PRIOR TO DATE OF NORMAL APPOINTMENT TO TEMPORARY PAID RANK

Certified that the all-round proficiency of the subject Airman has been reviewed at this date.

He is RECOMMENDED for,

(a) Appointment to Temporary Rank,

(b) Retention in Acting Rank for a further period of

(c) Reduction to substantive rank.

R.C.A.F. NOV 26 1942 O.K. C.I.B. R.C. N.I. S.L. P.A.

STRIKE OUT ITEMS NOT APPLICABLE. If action under (b) is recommended or action under (c) is taken by promulgation in Unit D.R.O.'s, D.A.P.S. is to be notified immediately.

(Date) (Signature)

16 Recommended for appointment to rank of Warrant Officer, Class

(Command Specialist Officer) (Date) (Air Officer Commanding) (Date)

FOR HEADQUARTERS USE ONLY

Education	University Degree	Senior Matric.	Junior Matric.	Entrance Standard or Below

Appointed to rank of Flt Sgt Dem (Paid) Effective 16-9-42

by Dated

DRAFT A.F.R.O. DATE NOV 24 1942

	Particulars Checked	Appointment Approved
Signature		
Rank	H.S. Kirkey	W/C
Appointment		A.P. 2
Date		25-11-42

NOTE:—Recommendations for Warrant Rank to be submitted to Commands in duplicate.

R.C.A.F. A-81
25M-12-44 (4876)
H.Q. 885-A81

DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE

NAVY ═══ ARMY ═══ AIR FORCE

STATEMENT OF WAR SERVICE GRATUITY

4 AIR

12965

DISCHARGED MEMBER'S NAME: Mandel M. (CHRISTIAN NAMES) Epstein (SURNAME)

REGISTER NO.

PAYEE: Mrs. Belle R. Epstein

ADDRESS: 849 Dollard Ave. Outremont - Que.

FILE NO. 359

DATE 22 Feb 45

SERVICE NO. R 104789

FINAL RANK OR RATING WO 1

DATE OF TERMINATION OF OVERSEAS SERVICE 8 Nov 43

DATE OF DISCHARGE 8 Nov 43

		$ ¢
A. TOTAL QUALIFYING SERVICE	NO. OF DAYS 907/30 EQUAL TO 30 COMPLETE PERIODS AT $7.50	225.00
B. QUALIFYING OVERSEAS SERVICE	NO. OF DAYS 566 LESS 7 INELIGIBLE DAYS, EQUAL TO 559 DAYS @ 25c. PER DAY	139.75
		364.75
C. SUPPLEMENT FOR OVERSEAS SERVICE		
DAILY RATES AT DISCHARGE — PAY	$ 5.45	
SUBSISTENCE OR LODGING AND PROVISION ALLOWANCE	$ 1.25	
ADDITIONAL PAY	$	
	$	
	$	
DEPENDENTS' ALLOWANCE 1/30 OF $ 40.00	$ 1.33	
TOTAL	$ 8.03 X7 = $ 56.21	
NO. OF DAYS 566/183	X $ 56.21	173.85
D. WAR SERVICE GRATUITY		538.60
E. DEDUCTIONS — OVERPAYMENT OF PAY AND ALLOWANCES	$	
OVERPAYMENT OF DEPENDENTS' ALLOWANCE AND ASSIGNED PAY	$	
OTHER DEDUCTIONS	$	
F. TOTAL AMOUNT PAYABLE		538.60

G. YOUR PORTION OF GRATUITY IS—

DEPENDENTS' ALLOWANCE IN ISSUE TO YOU $ 40.00 OF $ 538.60 =$ 538.60

TOTAL DEPENDENTS' ALLOWANCE IN ISSUE $ 40.00

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R.C. MAR 1 1945 P.A.

CERTIFICATE I CERTIFY THAT THE AMOUNT HAS BEEN CORRECTLY COMPUTED AND IS PAYABLE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE TERMS OF THE WAR SERVICE GRANTS ACT, 1944 AND THE REGULATIONS ISSUED THEREUNDER.

PREPARED BY	CHECKED BY
[illegible]	[illegible]

TREASURY	
CHECKED BY	DATE
[signature]	1/2/45

[signature]
SERVICE REPRESENTATIVE

CONFIDENTIAL

R.C.A.F. Special Reserve

R104789

R.C.A.F. M.2
50M—12-39 (3211)
H.Q. 1062-10-2

ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE

Medical Board held at Montreal, P.Q. Date 14-1-41

FILE NUMBER

Surname EPSTEIN *Chr. Names* ~~MAX~~ MANDEL (MAX)
Nature of Commission m-2-S *Date of Birth* 10-8-16 (24) *Married or Single* S
Branch Gen. List. *Hours Flown* 5 hrs. passenger.
Address 380 Edward Charles St., Montreal, P.Q.

HAVE YOU ANY HISTORY OF:—

(i)	NERVOUS TROUBLE or Nervous Breakdown	NO
	Severe or "Sick" Headaches, Migraine	NO
	Fits or Convulsions of any kind	NO
	Sun or Heat Stroke	NO
	Head Injury or Concussion (including "knock-out")	NO
	Insomnia, Nightmares, Sleep-walking, or Bed-wetting	NO
(ii)	LUNG TROUBLE or Consumption	NO
	Bronchitis, Pneumonia or Pleurisy	NO
	Asthma or Hay Fever	NO
(iii)	HEART DISEASE, "Weak or Strained Heart"	NO
	Fainting Attacks or Giddiness	NO
	Rheumatism, Rheumatic Fever or "Growing Pains"	NO
	Frequent Sore Throats or Tonsillitis	1 sore throat a yr. T & A removed 1937
	Diphtheria, Scarlet Fever or Scarlatina	NO
(iv)	STOMACH or BOWEL TROUBLE	NO
	Chronic Indigestion or Pain after Food	NO
(v)	KIDNEY or BLADDER TROUBLE	NO
	Syphilis or Gonorrhœa	NO
(vi)	TROPICAL DISEASE Never in the tropics	NO
	Malaria	NO
	Dysentery	NO
(vii)	EYE TROUBLE or Inflammation of Eyelids	NO
	Wearing of Glasses	NO
	Colour or Night Blindness	NO
(viii)	EAR TROUBLE, Earache or Discharge from Ears	NO
	Deafness, Noises in the Ears, or Dizziness	NO
	Frequent Colds in Head, Catarrh or Obstruction	1 cold a year
	Prolonged Hoarseness or Loss of Voice	NO
	Sea, Car or Train Sickness Never at sea	
	Discomfort on Swings, Roundabouts, Switchbacks Likes these	NO
(ix)	OPERATIONS Herniatomy at age 5 yrs. T & A 1937	
(x)	Any Illness or Injury not mentioned above	NO

Education 2 yrs. High School
Present Occupation clerk Hobbies wood carving
Previous Service N.P.A.M. 3rd Med Battery Gunner
Athletics Soccer, dominian champ; 1939, hockey, and softball
Habits—Smoking 2 pipes and 5.c.a.d. Alcohol 1 glass beer a week
FAMILY HISTORY—Consumption None
Nervous Ailments, Mental Trouble, or "Fits" None
Father Alive—Health good Dead—Cause
Mother Alive—Health good Dead—Cause
Brothers (5) Alive—Health good (1) Dead—Cause acute appendix
Sisters (1) Alive—Health good (....) Dead—Cause

I hereby declare that I have carefully considered the statements made above, that to the best of my belief they are complete and correct, and that I have not withheld any relevant information or made any misleading statement. I am fully aware that by wilfully suppressing any information I shall incur the risk of not being granted a Commission, or if it is granted, of being required to relinquish it and forfeit any claim to gratuity or other award.

Date 14-1-41 *Signature* Max Epstein *Witness* J.C. Elias F.O.

GENERAL MEDICAL AND SURGICAL EXAMINATION

Impression given by *(a)* Physique ..athletic.. *(b)* Mentality ..alert..
Body Marks, Scars, Deformities ..scars on chin, appendectomy scar..
Size of Thyroid Gland ..not enlarged..
Surgical Abnormalities ..no hernia, no varicos, no flat or deformed feet..
Results of Wounds, Injuries, Operations .....

	Date 14-1-41	Assessing Room	Date	Assessing Room	Date	Assessing Room	Remarks on any Abnormalities Found
Height (ins.)	68¼						
Weight (lbs.)	149						*Date*
Chest Circumference (ins.)	37-34½						
Body Build (lbs.)							
Leg Length (ins.)							
Pulse Rate — Sitting	84						
Pulse Rate — Standing 1st	108						
Pulse Rate — Standing 2nd	96						
Pulse Rate — After Exercise	120						
Pulse Rate — Time to Normal	55						
Arterial Walls	soft						
Blood Pressure — Systolic	110						
Blood Pressure — Diastolic	75						
Heart — Size	8½						
Heart — Sounds	N						
Heart — Rhythm	N						
Lungs	N						
Breath held	100						
Expiratory Force	110						
Vital Capacity (Best of 5)							*Date*
Reflexes — Knee	N						
Reflexes — Ankle	N						
Reflexes — Triceps	N						
Reflexes — Abdominal	N						
Reflexes — Plantar	Flexor						
Cranial Nerves	N						
Balancing Rod	R. L. 1/S 1/S	R. L.	R. L.	R. L.	R. L.	R. L.	
Self Balancing	R. L. 1/S 1/S	R. L.	R. L.	R. L.	R. L.	R. L.	
Tremors — Fingers	S						
Tremors — Eyelids	S						*Date*
Abdomen — Liver	N						
Abdomen — Spleen	N						
Abdomen — Muscular Tone	good						
Urine — Albumen	neg.						
Urine — Sugar	neg.						
Initials of M.O.	Dott.		CAA				

40 mm. Hg. Test ..7/888, 887, 888, 776, 67.. 75 sec.
Date ..CAA..
Date .....
Date .....
Date .....

Remarks by Consultant.

Fit.

DCH

EYE EXAMINATION

History ..... Negative .....

Visual Acuity { R. 20/20 , c̄ 2.25 = E Blur
L. 20/20 , c̄ 2.25 = E Blur

Colour Vision ..... N. Ishihara .....

Red, Green ..... N.A. .....

Diaphragm Test (P.D. = ... " .....)

Convergence { C. = ... " ..... cms.
S. C. = ... " ..... cms.

Accommodation { R. ..... 7.5 .....
L. ..... 7.5 .....

Cover Test ..... N.A. .....

Fundi and Media ..... Normal .....

Fields ..... N .....

Remarks:

Fit.

Initials of M.O. ..... *Initials of M.O.* ..... *Initials of M.O.* .....

Date ..... 14-1-41 ..... *Date* ..... *Date* .....

EXAMINATION OF EAR, NOSE AND THROAT

History .....

Hearing	R. Ear	W.V. 20		
	L. Ear	W.V. 20		
External Ear, Meatus Membranes	R. Ear	N		
	L. Ear	N		
Middle Ear, Eustachian Tubes	R. Ear	Patent		
	L. Ear	Patent		
Cochlear Apparatus	R. Ear			
	L. Ear			
Vestibular Apparatus	R. Ear	N		
	L. Ear	N		
Buccal Cavity		H		
Teeth		Filling, no cavities		
Gums		N		
Pharynx		H		
Nasopharynx		H		
Nose		Pat.		
Larynx		H		

Remarks:

Fit.

Initials of M.O. ..... *Initials of M.O.* ..... *Initials of M.O.* .....

Date 14-1-41 ..... *Date* ..... *Date* .....

HISTORY OF PRESENT CONDITION

Date.....14-1-41.....

History favourable
Medical favourable
Eye favourable
ENT favourable

Not able to assess as A1B due to insufficient education.

C.W. Smyth F/O

D. Hutton F/O

D. Hutton F/O

assessed A3B (J. C. Elias F.O.)
(A. W. Lapin Flt. Lt.)

D. Hutton F/O

OBSERVATIONS AND FINDINGS BY PRESIDENT OF BOARD

Date.....

CATEGORY A3B ..... APPROVED
DATE Aug 15 1941
J. W. Lapin F/L ..... M.O.
No. 4 ..... WIRELESS, ~~or B. and G.~~ School

R.C.A.F.
Rec'd AUG 18 941
O. K. ..... C. I. .....
R. C. DM ..... N. I. .....
S. L. ..... D. .....

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Canadian General Transit Company, Limited

621 West Craig Street
Montreal

REPORTING C.G.T.X MARKS

Mailing Address
P.O.Box 160, Montreal

CARS FOR LEASE FOR ALL PURPOSES

Montreal, December 23rd, 1940.

Officer Commanding,
Royal Canadian Air Force,
Montreal, Que.

Dear Sir:

The bearer of this letter, Mr. M. Epstein, who as an employee of the Canadian Car & Foundry Company Limited has been closely associated with the work of this Company, is desirous of being transferred from the N.P.A.M. to your organization and advises it is necessary that he should have some references.

I have known Mr. Epstein for several years and can vouch for his loyalty and integrity, and feel that he is a man who would live up to the ideals and requirements of the R.C.A.F.

I am very pleased to have the opportunity of writing this letter and trust I shall shortly see the bearer in your uniform.

Yours very truly,

E. W. Wilson
Vice-President & General Manager.

EWW/AM.

R.C.A.F Records Office
Rec'd MAY 21 1941
O. K. C.I.B.
R. C. N. I.
S. L. P. A.

CANADIAN CAR & FOUNDRY COMPANY LIMITED

GENERAL OFFICES

621 WEST CRAIG STREET, MONTREAL

CABLE ADDRESS: 'CANCAR'. MAILING ADDRESS: P.O. BOX 160

P. C. McLACHLAN,
Comptroller & Treasurer

N. KINSELLA,
J. H. BUTLER,
Ass't-Treasurers

MONTREAL - December 21, 1940

B-1/31

Royal Canadian Air Force,
Montreal, P.Q.

Sirs:

This is to certify that Max Epstein has been in the employ of our Company upwards of five years. During this time, he has worked in the Accounting Department under my supervision.

We have found him to be an able, competent and diligent worker. He is honest, sober and straightforward, in fact a thoroughly reliable and trustworthy man.

In conclusion we wish to state we will always be glad to keep a position open for Max Epstein.

Yours truly,

P C McLachlan

PCM/C

Comptroller and Treasurer

ALL AGREEMENTS ARE CONTINGENT UPON STRIKES, ACCIDENTS, DELAYS IN TRANSPORTATION, FIRES AND OTHER CAUSES UNAVOIDABLE OR BEYOND OUR CONTROL

McGill University

Montreal, January 10, *19* 41.

I hereby certify that Mr. Max Epstein

has completed an education equivalent to two years high school.

Signed,

J. H. Scatterd

Registrar.

June 30, 1933.

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT

Isaac Epstein

was a regular student at St. John's High School during the session 1932-33, taking a course which involved English, History, Practical Mathematics, Practical Science, and a thorough training in one or more shops, every afternoon being allotted to shop-work.

He satisfied the Examiners in the uncancelled subjects of the following list:

Practical Science Practical Mathematics

English Literature, Composition, Canadian History and ~~Economics~~

~~Machine Shop~~, Mechanical Drawing, ~~Forging~~, ~~Electrical Shop~~,

~~Wood Working~~ ~~Wood Turning~~

He obtained Honour Standing in the following subjects:

Practical Mathematics

Other distinctions:

School team in Football.

H. Lyn Jones
Class Teacher

G. J. Reive.
Principal

Montreal, January 13th, 1941.

Officer Commanding,
Royal Canadian Air Force,
Montreal, Que.

Dear Sir:

This is to certify that I, Morris Epstein who is naturalized under the name of Moses Epstein, am the same person.

Yours very truly,

Morris Epstein.

Sworn to before me at
Montreal, this 13th day
of January, 1941.

H. J. O'Brien

R.C.A.F. Records Office
Rec'd MAY 21 1941
O. K. ..... C.I.B. .....
R. C. ..... N. I. .....
S. L. ..... P. A. .....

R.C.A.F. Special Reserve

Aircrew
Wireless Operator

AIR FORCE No. R104789 POSTED TO No. 1 Manning Depot, Toronto TRADE Air Gunner Std.

ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE

(ATTESTATION PAPER)

(Pages one and two, only, are to be completed in Applicant's own Handwriting)

1. Surname EPSTEIN Full Christian Names MANDEL (MAX)
2. Present Address 5725 HUTCHISON ST APT 6 MONTREAL P.Q. Telephone NONE
3. Permanent Address 5725 HUTCHISON ST APT 6 MONTREAL QUEBEC
4. Place of Birth Winnipeg Manitoba Citizenship Canadian
5. Date of Birth August 10th 1916 ~~Married~~, Single, ~~Widower~~, ~~Separated~~, ~~Divorced~~ single
6. Particulars of Children

Name	Date of birth	Name	Date of birth
n. a.			

7. Occupation Clerk 8. Religion Hebrew (State denomination)
9. Languages English Fluently (State proficiency)
10. Next of Kin (Full Name) Marion Epstein Relationship mother
" Address 5725 Hutchison St apt 6 Montreal P.Q.
11. Father (Full Name) Morris Baron Epstein Birthplace Roumania
" Address 5725 Hutchison St apt 6 Montreal P.Q. Citizenship Canadian
" Occupation Tinsmith
12. Mother (Full Maiden Name) Marion Segal Birthplace Roumania.
" Address 5725 Hutchison St apt 6 Montreal P.Q. Citizenship Canadian
13. Details of any Naval, Military or Air Force Service:

Unit	Place	Rank	Trade	Date From	Date To	Reason for discharge
3rd Medium Battery R.C.A. N.P.A.M.	Montreal P.Q	Gunner	n. a.	aug 8 1940 12	15/5/41	To join R.C.A.F

R.C.A.F. Recruiting Office
Rec'd MAY 21 1941
O.K. C.I.B.
R.C. N.
S. P.A. If so, where?

14. Honours, Awards, Mentions None
15. Are you now on any Naval, Military or Air Force Reserve? Yes
16. Have you previously made application to join the R.C.A.F.? no
When? na Result na
17. Were you ever discharged from any branch of His Majesty's Forces as Medically Unfit? no
If so, state nature of disability na
18. Have you ever been or are you now in receipt of a Disability Pension? no
If so, state nature of Disability na
19. Have you ever been convicted of an indictable offence? no If so state nature na
20. Are you in debt? no If so, state particulars no

R.C.A.F. Form R. 100
400M—6-40 (5739)
H.Q. 1062-3-83

187-293

INVESTIGATED IN ACCORDANCE WITH A.FM.O. M.19/10
and NO ADVERSE INFORMATION DISCLOSED.

F/O.
Date 21-2-41

—	Name of school	Date From	Date To	Courses—Subjects, etc.
Primary Education—Public or Separate School	Strathcona Winnipeg Man.	1923	1929	Primary
	Macleay Winnipeg Man.	1929	1930	Junior High
High School—Collegiate Institute, etc.	St Johns Technical High Winnipeg Man.			High School
Technical School				
University or School other than above	Montreal Board of Trade	1935	1936	Accounting
Correspondence Courses, etc.	Mc Gill University Montreal P.Q.	1939	1940	Accounting

22. Particulars of all Civil Occupations (in full):

Employer and place	Duties, trades, positions	Date From	Date To	Reason for leaving
Vulcan Iron Works Winnipeg Man	General helper in Plant	1935	1935	resigned to accept better position in Montreal
Canadian Car & Foundry Company Limited Montreal P.Q.	accounting	1935		still employed.

23. Flying Experience (in Hours) Solo None Dual None Passenger 2 hrs

24. Special Qualifications, Hobbies, etc., useful to the R.C.A.F. Music, Hunting fishing (a little radio work)

25. Sports engaged in. State: extensively, moderately, occasionally Soccer extensively Moderately, hockey baseball

26. Air Force Duty you wish to enlist for ~~Ground Duties~~. Flying Duties.

If for Ground Duties, state Air Force trade in which you wish to enlist N.a.
If for Flying Duties, state preference as (a) ~~Pilot~~; (b) ~~Observer~~; (c) Air Gunner (d) Wireless Operator (Air Crew). (Cross out words not applicable.)

27. Names of at least two persons who can give references as to character and ability.

Name	Address	Occupation
Mr R. W. Moore	57 Montee Ste Marie Ste Anne de Bellevue P.Q.	Paymaster
Mr. J. H. Butler	235 Ballantyne Montreal West P.Q.	Ass't Treasurer

28. Other information that may have any bearing on this application None

29. Do you understand that vaccination, re-vaccination and inoculation are compulsory? Yes

I Hereby Certify that the foregoing information furnished by me is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Date Dec 26th 1940 Signature ~~Harold~~ Max Epstein
M.E.

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NATIONAL REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE PRODUCED

(A) *Report of Interviewing Officer—*

Type.....General appearance.....

Suitability for (state in what capacity).....

Date.....Signature.....Rank.....

(B) *Report of Trade Test—*

Trade in which tested.....

Result.....

Trade qualifications other than above likely to lead to efficient employment in the R.C.A.F.....

.....

Date.....Signature.....Rank.....

(C) **DECLARATION MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION**

I, Mandel (Max) Epstein, do solemnly declare that the foregoing particulars are true, and I hereby engage to serve on active service anywhere in Canada, and also beyond Canada and overseas, in the Royal Canadian Air Force for the duration of the present war, and for the period of demobilization thereafter, and in any event for a period of not less than one year, provided His Majesty should so long require my services.

Date May 16th 19 41 Mat Epstein
Signature of Recruit

(D) **OATH TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION**

I, Mandel (Max) Epstein, do sincerely promise and swear (or solemnly declare) that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty.

Date May 16th 19 41 Mat Epstein
Signature of Recruit

(E) **CERTIFICATE OF ATTESTING OFFICER**

The Recruit above named was cautioned by me that if he made any false answers to any of the above questions he would be liable to be punished as provided by law.

The above questions and answers were then read to the Recruit in my presence.

I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to and the said Recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the Oath before me,

at Montreal, P.Q. this 16th day of May 1941

.....
Signature of Officer

.....
Rank

R.C.A.F. Recruiting Centre, Montreal.
Unit

Finger Printed
Date 15-5-41
Initials. G.B.

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CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL EXAMINATION

Part 1. Information obtained from the applicant—

1. Age. 24 2. Have you ever suffered from any of the following defects in health?

(a) Rheumatism no
(b) Tuberculosis no
(c) Bronchitis or Asthma no
(d) Heart Disease no
(e) Kidney or Bladder Disease no
(f) Gastro-intestinal no no
(g) Rupture no
(h) Varicose Veins no
(i) Flat or Deformed Feet no
(j) Nasal Trouble no
(k) Ear Disease no
(l) Eye Disease no
(m) Epilepsy no
(n) Nervous or Mental Disease no
(o) Syphilis no
(p) Gonorrhoea no
(q) Bone Fracture no
(r) Other Disease or Defect no

3. Have you ever worn glasses? no

4. Have you had any illness for more than one week's duration. no

5. I certify that I have revealed my full medical history and have not withheld any relevant information.

Arnold Maf Epstein
M. E.
Signature of Applicant

Examiner's Remarks *re* above

C.V. normal
P.P. 110/75

Part 2. Information obtained by Medical Examination (Applicant must be stripped)—

1. Identification marks or scars (if operative obtain history) appendix scar

2. Height 5 feet 8 1/4 inches. 3. Weight 149 pounds.

4. Complexion Ruddy 5. Color of Eyes Hazel Hair Red

6. Development Good ~~Fair~~ ~~Poor~~ 7. Chest Measurement—Full expiration 34 1/4 inches

Range of expansion 2 3/4 inches

8. Hearing—Right W.V. 20 Left W.V. 20 Tympana—Right N Left N

9. Vision—Without glasses—Right 20/20 With glasses—Right

Left 20/20 Left

10. Condition of mouth and teeth Good

11. Urine—Albumen neg Sugar neg

12. Abnormalities (Congenital and Pathological) found on Examination None

Part 3. The Candidate has been examined in accordance with the pamphlet, "Physical Standards and Instructions for the Medical Examination of Recruits" and he is considered fit for Category A 3 B

Any special remarks of the Medical Officers Good physical condition

14-5-41 - Recheck Fit. C.H. Forsyth F/O

15/5/41 X Ray #178531 Neg DBS

Date 14-1-41 19

C.H. Forsyth F/O — President
D. Stuart S/L — Member
Member

Part 2 Cont'.

13. Reflexes —
14. Heart —
15. Lungs —
16. Blood Pressure S.D. 110/75
17. Colour Vision —

AIR FORCE No. R/104789

SURNAME: EPSTEIN

FULL CHRISTIAN NAME: MANDEL (MAX)

ENLISTMENT/APPOINTMENT
PLACE Montreal
DATE 16-5-41.

RELIGION: Hebrew.
R.C.A.F. FORM R230

TYPE OF LEAVE

FROM	TO	No. DAYS	DESCRIPTION	AUTH.
Issued	SLTW	#C 52235		DRO 143 19-12-41
17-3-42	30-3-42	14	Embark.	DRO 64/42
12-9-42	26-9-42	14	Annual	DRO 94
Issued	SLTW	#C 116068-6-9-42		" 142
1-3-43	15-3-43	14	Annual	" 30/43
19-8-43	2-9-43	14	Annual	" 141

HONOURS, AWARDS AND MENTIONS

DATE	AWARD	AUTHORITY
16 3 42	A.F. Badge	

TYPE OF AIRCRAFT ON WHICH MOST PROFICIENT

(IF UNDER INSTRUCTION STATE NUMBER OF HOURS ON EACH TYPE AND TESTS PASSED)

SERVICE MACHINES FLOWN

CHARACTER AND TRADE ASSESSMENT

DATE	CHARACTER	TRADE ASSESSMENT
26 10 42	Good	Sgt.

POSTINGS, ATTACHMENTS & TEMPORARY DUTY

SOS TOS	FROM	TO	DATE	AUTHORITY
	R.C.	#1 M.D.	[redacted]	R/C.
	Montreal	Toronto	16 5 41	DRO 117
	#1 M.D. Toronto	#1 SFTS Camp Borden	9 6 41	" 136
	#1 SFTS Camp Borden	#4 W.S. Guelph	4 8 41	" 152
tos	#4 W.S. Guelph		4 8 41	" 27/41
Eff.	Date amended to		5 8 41	" 32/41
SOS	#4 W.S. Guelph	#6 B&S Mountain V	14 2 42	" 38/42
	RCAF Stn. Mountain View	#1 M.D. Halifax	17 3 42	" 64A.
	1 M Depot Halifax	116 BR Sqn	21 4 42	" 125
tos	#116 BR, Dartmouth		22 4 42	" 93
Dep.	Duty at Botwood, Nfld		31 5 42	" 131
att'd to stn.	" "	for Rations & Quarters		" 131
Ceases	Att. Duty at Botwood		31 7 42	" 137
Proc.	T.D. to Hopedale		8 10 42	" 133
Ceases	" " "		9 10 42	" 133
Proc.	T.D. from Botwood to Shelburne		13 11 42	" 45
Proc.	T.D. to Sydney		25 11 42	" 61
Ceases	" " "		1 12 42	" 66
Proc.	T.D. Shelbourne	Natmall	18 3 43	" 52
Ceases	T.D. from "		18 3 43	" 52
Att.	to RCAF Stn. Botwood		31 5 43	" 107
Proc.	T.D. from Botwood, Nfld. to Shelbourne, N.S.		1 6 43	" 107
Dep.	by air 10.30 hrs.		1 6 43	(1 day)
Proc.	T.D. to RCAF, Sydney		6 6 43	DRO 50/43
Ceases	" " "		8 6 43	"
T.D.	116 Sqn.	#4 RD Botwood Scoudouc	10 9 43	" 166
Returned	#4 RD Scoudouc	#116 Botwood	15 9 43	" 166
Missing after Air Operations eff. 8-11-43 Ceases to occupy qts and draw rtns. eff. 8-11-43				
SOS	#116 Sqn. Dartmouth	116 Sqn. Sydney	7 6 44	DRO 137
tos	116 Sqn.	116 Sqn. Sydney	8 6 44	DRO 145
Presumed to have died (Auth. A.F.H.Q. M9892 - 13-6-44).			8 11 43	DRO 145

ALL OTHER CASUALTIES

CASUALTY AND DATE	AUTHORITY
Authorized to draw R/A	DRO 101
Entitled to 50¢ per diem R/A from 19-8-43 to 1-9-43 (19 days)	24-5-43 DRO 80/43

AIR FORCE No. R104789 | SURNAME EPSTEIN | FULL CHRISTIAN NAME Mandel (Max) | ENLISTMENT/APPOINTMENT PLACE Montreal DATE 16-5-41. | RELIGION Hebrew.

ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE

RECORD OF SERVICE

OFFICERS, AIRMEN AND AIRWOMEN

R.C.A.F. FORM R230
100M-3-43 (3137)
H.Q. 885-R-230

BIRTH DATE	PLACE	COUNTRY	CITIZENSHIP	RACIAL ORIGIN
10-8-16	Winnipeg	Canada	Canadian	

CIVIL EDUCATION

PUBLIC SCHOOL	JUNIOR MATRICULATION	2 yrs.
HIGH SCHOOL ENTRANCE	SENIOR MATRICULATION	
TECHNICAL SCHOOL	UNIVERSITY	1 yr. McGill.
CORR./BUSINESS COURSES	LANGUAGES SPOKEN	

CIVIL OCCUPATIONS AND EXPERIENCE

Clerk-Accountant
1935-41.

PREVIOUS SERVICE

3rd. Med Bldg.
R.C.A. - 12-8-40. - 15-5-41.

PLACE AND DATE OF MEDICAL	CATEGORY	PLACE AND DATE OF MEDICAL	CATEGORY
Montreal - 16-5-41.	A3B		

PARTICULARS OF FAMILY

SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWER, DIVORCED	Married.
WIFE (FULL MAIDEN NAME) OR HUSBAND	Belle Ruth Zolt.
PRESENT ADDRESS (IN PENCIL)	
PLACE OF MARRIAGE	DATE
AUTHORITY (IF AFTER APPOINTMENT/ENLISTMENT)	

CHILDREN

NAMES	PLACE AND DATE OF BIRTH	NAMES	PLACE AND DATE OF BIRTH

NAME(S), ADDRESS(ES), RELATIONSHIP OF PERSON(S) TO BE INFORMED OF CASUALTIES (IN PENCIL)

Mrs. B. R. Epstein (wife)
849 Rolland Rd., Montreal, Que.

EMPLOYMENT AS INSTRUCTOR OFFICER AIRMAN/AIRWOMAN

TYPE	FROM	TO	TYPE	FROM	TO

OFFICERS

RANK, BRANCH AND CATEGORY	DATE	AUTH.	DUTIES PERFORMED DURING SERVICE, E.G. ADJ.

COURTS-MARTIAL ATTENDED WITH DATES
(STATE IF UNDER INSTRUCTION OR AS MEMBER)

AIRMEN AND AIRWOMEN

RANK	DATE	AUTH.	TRADE	DATE	AUTH.
AC 2	16 5 41				
LAC	4 9 41	DRO 52			
Sgt.	16 3 42				
A/F/Sgt (Pd)	16 9 42	DRO [redacted] 143			
t/F/Sgt (Pd)	16 9 42	DRO [redacted] 64			
A/WO2 (Pd)	16 3 43	" 71			
t/WO2 (Pd)	16 3 43	" 92/43.			

OFFICERS, AIRMEN/AIRWOMEN

COURSE OR TRADE	GRP.	%	PF	DATE
W.O. (AG)	Std			
WO AG	Spl		P	16 3 42

AIR FORCE No. R104789

SURNAME: EPSTEIN, FULL CHRISTIAN NAMES: MANDEL (MAX)

ENLISTMENT / RE-ENLISTMENT — PLACE Montreal P.Q. — DATE 16-5-41

C.R. FILE NUMBER

R.C.A.F. FORM R44(B) 30M-3-41 (9782) H.Q. 1082-3-58

RECORD OF SERVICE AIRMEN

1. POSTING (INDICATE S.O.S. AND T.O.S.)

S.O.S. OR T.O.S.	UNIT AND PLACE	EFFECTIVE			D.R.O.
T.O.S.	1 M.D. Toronto	16	5	41	1 M.D. 117
SOS	1140 Toronto	9	6	41	1140 136
TO	ISETS Camp Borden	10	6	41	ISF 115
SOS	ISETS Camp Borden (amended)	3	8	41	ISF 163 (amended 15 154)
TOS	4WS Guelph (amended).	4	8	41	4 W.S. 27 (amended 4 W.S. 32)
SOS	ISETS Camp Borden	4	8	41	ISF 154
TOS	4 W.S. Guelph.	5	8	41	4 W.S. 32
SOS	4 W.S. Guelph	14	2	42	4 W.S. 38
T.O.S.	6 O.T.U. Mt. View, Ont.	15	2	42	M.V. 43.
SOS	6 B.G.S. Mt. View	17	3	42	M.V. 64A.
TOS	1 Y. Dep. Halifax	18	3	42	1 Y. 92.
SOS	1 Y. Dep. Halifax N.S.	21	4	42	1 Y. 126
TOS	116 B.R. Sqn. Dartmouth N.S.	22	4	42	116 B.R. 96 B.W. 11-76
Det. Det.	116 B.R. Det. Botwood. Att. Stn. B.W.	31/13	5/7	42	116 B.R. 131-168-187
C.D.	116 Br. Sqdn. Dartmouth	12/13	7/7	42	B.W. 53: 57
T.D.	116 B.R. Sqdn. DARTMOUTH	21/22	6	42	B.W. 35.
Proc. T.D. (B.W. 93), ret. T.D. air		B.W.	102		
Proc. T.D. air, and ret. T.D. air		B.W.	133.		
Proc. T.D. ret by air K 343					
Proc. T.D. and ret (air). Shel. 66					
Proc. T.D. Elsewhere		13/	11/	42	Shel. 53.
Proc. T.D. Shel. 2. (amended. Shel 3.) - Can T.D. Shel 3					
Proc. T.D. (air) and ret'd (air) T.D.		Shel. 52.			
att. RCAF Stn Bitwood for pay		1	6	43	B.W. 73
T.D. B.W. 80					
Missing after air operation		8	11	43	B.W. 214
Missing believed Killed		8	11	43	
A 41		9	11	43	L.W.
Presumed to have died		8	11	43	S. 145-
SOS. Stn Sydney		8	11	43	S. 145-
TOS. 116 Sqn Sydney from 116 Spr Gander		8	6	44	S. 145-
S.O.S. 116 Sqn Gander				44	
WSG Computed 3/11/44					
359 Completed WSG OCT 25 1944					
P.D. AWS		8	11	43	

2. RECLASS'NS-PROMOTIONS-ETC.

RANK	EFFECTIVE			D.R.O.
AC2	16	5	41	1 M.D. 117
Lac.	4	9	41	4 W.S. 52
A/Sgt pd	16	3	42	M.V. 64A.
T4				
A/J. Sgt. pd.	16	9	42	B.W. 143.
T/J. Sgt. pd.	16	9	42	Shell. 64
W/O. 2. (pd.)	16	13	43	Shell 71
A/WO2 (pd)	16	3	43	Shel. 92
T/WO1 (pd)	16	9	43	AFRO 2373

3. MEDICAL HISTORY

EXAMINATIONS (IN RED INK)

DATE	FORM	CATEGORY	REMARKS

HOSPITALIZATION (IN BLACK INK)

HOSPITAL	ADMITTED	DISCHARGE	D.R.O.
QUARTERS	CONFINED	RET'N DUTY	
14-5-41	R-100	A3B	
15-8-41	M2.	A3B	

4. TRADE AND CHARACTER

TRADE	GROUP	EFFECTIVE			D.R.O.
W.A.G.	Std	16	5	41	1 M.D. 117
W.O/A.G. (Co; 25A)	B4	16	3	42	M.V. 64A
3045					1

TRADE PROFICIENCY	CHARACTER ASSESSMENT	DATE OF R41

5. COURSES-TESTS-ETC.

SUBJECT	RESULT	DATE			AUTHORITY
Trans. from Co. 25 to Co. 25		19	12	41	W.S. 144
Trans. to Co. 25					W.S. 144
W.A.G. Co # 25A.	76.06	16	2/3	42	6 B&G.S. T82

6. LEAVE

FROM	TO	DAYS	REMARKS	D.R.O.
17-3-42	30-3-42	14	Embarkation	M.V. 64A
12-9-42	26-9-42	14	annual	B.W. 99
1-3-43.	15-3-43	14	annual	Shel. 30
10-3-43	2-9-43	14		B.W. 149

1 R.C.A.F. OVERSEAS — 3 4 5 ENLISTMENT MARITAL STATUS — 6 7 8 PRESENT MARITAL STATUS — 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 HIGH & TECH. SCHOOL EDUCATION — 16 17 18 C. OF E. BAP. R.C. U.C. PRES. — 19 20 21 22 23 24 RELIGION R.C. HEB. MIS. OTHER PREV. SERV. — 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32 33 PROVINCE OF ENLISTMENT — 34 35 36 37 DISCHARGE — 38 AC

AIR FORCE No. R104789 R

EPSTEIN, MANDEL (MAX)
SURNAME FULL CHRISTIAN NAMES

ENLISTMENT RE-ENLISTMENT
PLACE Montreal P.2.
DATE 16-5-41

C.R. FILE NUMBER

RECORD OF SERVICE AIRMEN

R.C.A.F. FORM R44(B)

7. BIRTH: DATE PLACE CITIZENSHIP 2
10-8-16 Winnipeg, Man. British
FATHER (FULL NAME) Morris Baron Epstein
BIRTHPLACE Russia
MOTHER (FULL MAIDEN NAME) Marion Segal
BIRTHPLACE Russia

8. EDUCATIONAL STANDING
HIGH SCHOOL ENTRANCE x Man
JUNIOR MATRICULATION 2 yrs - Man
SENIOR MATRICULATION
TECHNICAL SCHOOL
UNIVERSITY McGill - 1 yr. Accounting
CORRESPONDENCE COURSES 5 8
Montreal Board of trade - 1 yr - Accounting

9. CIVIL OCCUPATIONS OR EXPERIENCE USEFUL TO R.C.A.F.
General helper in plant - 1935'
Accounting - 1935' to date
8000

10. PREVIOUS ARMY, NAVY OR AIR FORCE SERVICE
N.P.A.M. - Montreal - Gunner - 12-8-40 to 15-5-41
6

11. HONOURS-AWARDS, MENTIONS	AUTHORITY	DATE
Awarded Air Gunner's Badge.	MU64A.	16-3-42

12. FLYING EXPERIENCE ON ENLISTMENT (HOURS)
SOLO — DUAL — PASSENGER 2 hrs.

13. RELIGION Hebrew
7

14. LANGUAGES English
1

15. SPORTS Soccer, Hockey, Baseball

16. SINGLE-MARRIED-WIDOWER-SEPARATED-DIVORCED: single
WIFE (FULL MAIDEN NAME) Miss Belle Ruth Golt
PLACE OF MARRIAGE Guelph, Ont. DATE 13-12-41
AUTHORITY (IF AFTER ENLISTMENT) (Without permission)
4 H.S. 142. 2

17. MARRIED ESTABLISHMENT

REMARKS	RANK	EFFECTIVE	D.R.O.

18. CHILDREN

CHRISTIAN NAMES	BIRTH DATE	D.R.O.	CHRISTIAN NAMES	BIRTH DATE	D.R.O.

19. NEXT OF KIN (ADDRESS AND D.R.O. IN PENCIL)
FULL NAME: Marion Epstein RELATIONSHIP mother
ADDRESS: 5725 Hutchison St Apt 6, Montreal P.2 - NK D.R.O.
FULL NAME: Mrs. B. R. Epstein RELATIONSHIP Wife.
ADDRESS: 849 Dollard Ave., Montreal P.2 D.R.O. 4 H.S. 142. - NK

20. PAY ENTRIES (OFFENCE FORFEITURES, STOPPAGES IN RED INK)

RATE CHANGES ETC.	EFFECTIVE	D.R.O.	RATE CHANGES ETC.	EFFECTIVE	D.R.O.
Ent. to D/A	19 1 42				
or upon completion of training is later whichever		4 H.S. 142			
R.A.	7/26 9 42	BW 99			

21. ENGAGEMENTS

TERM	EFFECTIVE	D.R.O.	TERM	EFFECTIVE	D.R.O.
Duration	16 5 41				

22. TEMPORARY DUTY AND MISCELLANEOUS ENTRIES

FROM	TO	DATE	D.R.O.
Occ. Qtrs. &	Rat.	17-5-41	1 M.D. 117
Occ. pub. qtrs. & dr. stns.		4-8-41	4 H.S. 27
Issued Spec.	L.W. #C. 52235	19-12-41	4 H.S. 143
Proceeded on T.D. to Burtch	23-11-41 ret.	29-11-41 (Co. 23)	4 H.S. 128
Proceeded on T.D. to Burtch, Ont. (amended)		25/31-1-42	4 H.S. 29 / 4 H.S. 27.
Proceeded on T.D. to Burtch, Ont.		25/2-1/2-42	4 H.S. 29.
Ceases to occ. pub. qtrs. & dr. stns.		14-2-42	4 H.S. 38
Occ. gov't. qtrs. draw rtns		15-2-42	M.U. 43
Occ. pub. qtrs. & draw rtns		31-3-42	1 Y 92
S.L.T.W.	C116068.	6-9-42	BW 99.

22.(A) ADDRESS PRIOR TO ENLISTMENT
5725 Hutchison St. Apt 6. Montreal P.2
22302

23. DOCUMENT CONTROL (INDICATE RECEIPT BY DATE)

R60	R79	B465	X-RAY	AFM-13	IDN. CARD	Ky.
26-5-41	✓					
10-4-42						